

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

MAULDIN MIDDLE

Greenville

Grades: 6-8 Enrollment: 1,155

Principal: Rosia D. Gardner

Superintendent: Dr. Phinnize J. Fisher

Board Chair: Megan Hickerson

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2010	Good	Good	TBD	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2009	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2008	Average	Below Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

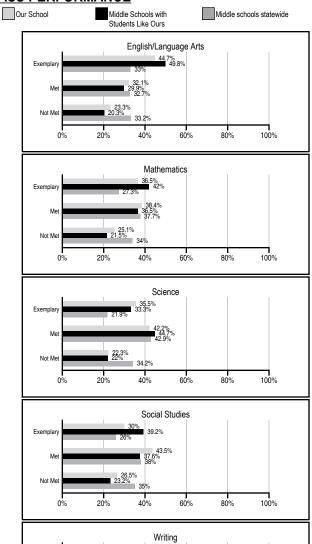
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
8	7	1	1	0

^{*} Ratings are calculated with data available by 03/09/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PASS PERFORMANCE

Not Me



80%

100%

NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

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READING - GRADE 8 (2009)					
South Carolina		32	44	23	2
Nation		26	43	28	
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced ■ Below Basic □ Basic □ Proficient ■ Advanced					
MATH - GRADE 8 (2009)					
South Carolina		31	39	23	7
Nation		29	39	25	7
% Below Basic					
SCIENCE – GRADE 8 (2005)					
South Carolina		31	39	23	7
Nation		29	39	25	
% Below Basic					

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2010					
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours			
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	100.0	98.2			
English 1	98.9	91.2			
Physical Science	N/A	N/A			
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A			
All Subjects	99.6	98.1			

SC PERFORMANCE GOAL

2010 Goal:

By 2010, SC's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.

2020 Vision:

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

MAULDIN MIDDLE [Greenville]

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=1,155)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	44.8%	Up from 32.9%	35.3%	24.2%
Retention rate	1.2%	Up from 1.0%	0.6%	0.7%
Attendance rate	96.9%	Down from 97.0%	96.4%	95.9%
Eligible for gifted and talented	24.5%	Down from 25.0%	24.9%	16.4%
With disabilities other than speech	9.1%	Up from 8.6%	9.1%	12.0%
Older than usual for grade	0.8%	No Change	1.1%	2.2%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.8%	Down from 1.0%	0.7%	0.5%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=66)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	68.2%	Up from 62.5%	58.5%	58.5%
Continuing contract teachers	89.4%	Up from 86.1%	85.2%	80.0%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	3.3%	Down from 4.5%	1.8%	4.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	91.9%	Up from 89.0%	86.5%	84.6%
Teacher attendance rate	97.8%	Up from 96.4%	95.6%	95.4%
Average teacher salary*	\$48,626	Up 0.5%	\$48,356	\$46,561
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	1.4%	No Change	1.4%	1.3%
Professional development days/teacher	5.5 days	Down from 5.8 days	8.6 days	10.2 days
School				
Principal's years at school	11.0	Up from 10.0	3.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	24.1 to 1	Up from 22.8 to 1	24.1 to 1	21.1 to 1
Prime instructional time	95.1%	Up from 93.2%	91.0%	90.4%
Opportunities in the arts	Excellent	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	98.4%	Down from 98.6%	99.8%	98.1%
Character development program	Good	No Change	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,062	Up 4.4%	\$6,953	\$7,802
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	67.6%	Up from 66.3%	64.8%	63.8%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	64.4%	Up from 61.7%	62.5%	60.0%
% of AYP objectives met	93.5%	Down from 93.9%	93.1%	92.3%

^{*} Length of contract = 185+ days.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	50	286	70
Percent satisfied with learning environment	98.0%	78.4%	87.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	96.0%	84.3%	85.7%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100.0%	87.9%	79.7%

^{*}Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Mauldin Middle School has been in existence for eleven years. Our numerous accomplishments have been made through the conscious efforts of our teachers, students, parents, administrators and community members.

We continue to closely analyze our test scores in order to maximize our staff development strategies and increase the number of students meeting or exceeding the state standard on the Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS). Our teachers are Highly Qualified as defined by the No Child Left Behind Act, and twenty of our teachers are National Board Certified Teachers. The school motto of "Expect the Best" encourages all of our students to strive for their best grades, excellent behavior and impressive attendance. Mauldin Middle School has been named a Red Carpet School twice due to our family friendly environment and outstanding customer service. We were named the South Carolina Recycling School of the Year by DHEC for our school and community based recycling efforts.

The Mauldin Mustangs, our collective athletic, academic and performing groups, continue to distinguish themselves in district, state and national competitions. In conjunction with our school PTA, each student is given multiple opportunities to enhance his or her self awareness through Beta Club, Sandlapper Club, Science Club, Student Council, Service Learning Corps, Step Team, Band, Strings, Chorus, as well as our athletic and academic teams. Our drama students capped off the academic year with an extraordinary performance of "Guys and Dolls" in April.

Our PTA, School Improvement Council, Band and Athletic Booster Clubs have joined our business partners, including Publix, Arby's, Chic-Fil-A, Panera Bread and Sam's Wholesale Club, to provide both teachers and students with additional resources and assistance in the successes we have enjoyed this year.

Our school staff worked diligently as our school and district achieved international recognition as a high quality school system when awarded National Accreditation from AdvancED Worldwide, a distinguished mark of quality for the school system, its schools, students, teachers, and community. Each staff member contributed suggestions and strategies to develop our Strategic Plan as we addressed each goal of the Greenville County Schools' Education Plan.

We are proud of what we have accomplished in each of our eleven years and we look forward to being a leader in middle school education for many years to come.

Rosia Gardner, Principal Kelly Yanity, School Improvement Council Chair

^{**} Prior year audited financial data available